FLORESVILLE FOOTBALL 2021

PARENT MEETING

QUICK FACTS

- 2-7TH GRADE TEAMS AND 2-8TH GRADE TEAMS
- 1 FRESHMEN TEAM
- 1 JV TEAM
- 1 VARSITY TEAM

FRESHMEN 1ST PERIOD VARSITY/JV 3rd PERIOD

MULTIPLE SPORTS ARE ENCOURAGED

SPORTS MEDICINE

- Trainer: Daniela Ovalle 210-548-0848 cell dovalle1@fisd.us
- Ortho: <u>Dr. Wade Krause</u> 830-393-0235 office
- Communication, Communication,
- First job is safety of student-athlete
- Training room hours & procedures (Schedule through Daniela)
- Concussions (Protocol and Return to Play)
- School assisted insurance (Supplemental)
- Saturday clinic & help with dr. appointments
- Rehab assistance

SPORTSYOU VARSITY/JV ACCESS CODE XBH6-VBHY

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New Users

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- 2. Click Get Your Free Account and enter your email
- 3. Go to your email and click confirm your Email
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SOCIAL MEDIA

TWITTER: @FHS_Tiger_FB



COACH'S COMMUNICATION

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COVID-19 UPDATES AND PROCEDURES

The FISD and Athletic Department will always make decisions to best ensure the health and safety of all our student-athletes and staff.

- Many things have changed since the start of school last year
- At this time TEA has not released any new guidelines
- However we are expecting some new guidance to be given and we will continue to update you as soon as any information becomes available
- Currently the District is addressing confirmed positive cases the same way
- You do not have to quarantine for close contact at this time, but if you are symptomatic then you must stay home until you are symptom free for at least 24 hours

If you have any questions regarding COVID-19 please contact our Executive Director Mr. Michael Schroller (mschroller@fisd.us)

PICTURES

- 1. ORDER FORM
- 2. INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM PICS
- 3. AUGUST 14th:
 - a. VARSITY/JV@ 8:00 AM
 - b. FRESHMEN @ 8:30 AM



MISSION STATEMENT

The Floresville Athletic Booster Club is an organization of parents and friends of FISD athletics committed to helping FISD maintain a competitive edge in its athletic programs. All athletic programs benefit from Booster Club dollars. Membership in the booster club is open to all who wish to support our athletic programs. The Booster Club's goal is to fulfill its Mission Statement by supporting the Floresville athletic programs by funding areas of need that are not able to be fully covered by the school district. We've chosen to focus primarily on issues of safety, enhanced competitiveness, team unity and capital improvements

WHAT WE DO

Through Membership, fundraising, merchandise sales and running concession at the various sport events, we are a non-profit that raises funds for equipment needed. We also provide funding for hospitality rooms for tournaments, funding for spirit to congratulate our athletes when advancing in the district to playoffs, provide athletic fun days and an award ceremony to honor athletes on their district & state achievements, and provide scholarships to Senior athletes.



2021-2022 BOOSTER CLUB EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

President: Liz Hodge

Vice-President: Ursula Ortiz

Treasurer: Summer Lafferty

Secretary: Linnci Angle

Director of Merchandise: Richard Silva

Director of Membership: Pam Guerrero

Director of Fundraising: Josie Trevino

Director of Concession: Amy Ricks

Director of Public Relations: Justin Marshall

Director of Volunteers: Brian Manuel

MEMBERSHIP

Regular Membership \$20.00 Elite Single Membership \$75.00 Elite Couple Membership \$100.00

Contact Us:

floresvilleathleticboosterclub@gmail.com

Find us on the web:

https://tigersjags.fisd.us/boosterclub







RECRUITING

TOUGH, SOMETIMES UGLY BUSINESS

DO NOT PLAY HS BALL TO GET A COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

DOES YOUR SON REALLY WANT TO PLAY IN COLLEGE?

AGENTS/AGENCIES

DI, DII, DIII, NAIA, JC

http://www.freerecruitingwebinar.org/ Select "Texas" & follow instructions.

RECRUITING COORDINATOR – Vince Gonzales – vgonzales@fisd.us

TIGER FOOTBALL

VISION – UTILIZE ATHLETICS FOR ITS INTENDED PURPOSE TO ENHANCE THE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS IN ORDER TO PREPARE OUR STUDENT-ATHLETES FOR A PROSPEROUS LIFE.

MISSION – BUILD AND MAINTAIN AN ELITE ATHLETIC PROGRAM KNOWN NOT ONLY FOR WINNING, BUT FOR PRODUCING YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN OF GREAT CHARACTER.

CORE VALUES:

COMMUNITY – THE STRENGTH OF THE TIGER COMES FROM ALL THOSE WHO SURROUND HIM.

CHARACTER – A TIGERS' CHARACTER WILL BE HIGH IN STANDARD AND WILL REPRESENT THE PROGRAM, HIS FAMILY, AND SCHOOL WITH HONOR.

COACHING – EVERY TIGER MUST BE DEVELOPED AT A HIGH LEVEL. A TEAM IS ONLY AS GOOD AS GOOD AS ITS WEAKEST LINK.

COMPETITION – A TIGER WILL ALWAYS BE READY TO COMPETE AND WILL EMBRACE THE COMPETITION.

COMMITMENT – A TIGER MUST BE FULLY COMMITTED TO THE PROGRAM.

ACADEMIC PLAN

I. STUDY HALL/TUTORIALS

Athletes will attend Study Hall and tutorials as needed in the mornings and afternoons. Times and dates will be determined.

II. GRADE CHECKS

Starting the Progress Report week every athletes will have a weekly grade check.

TYPICAL WEEK PRACTICE

Typical Week Schedule						
	Mon.	Tues	Wed	Thur.	Friday	Saturday
9th	7:30am	7:30am	7:30am	8:25am	8:25a m	
JV	4:45-7 pm	4:45-7 pm	4:45-6:30 pm	Gameday	Off	
Varsity	4:45-7 pm	4:45-7 pm	4:45-7 pm	4:45-5:45 pm Team Dinner following Practice	Game Day	10am-12 Weights & Film

PLAYER EXPECTATIONS

I. GENERAL POLICIES FOR PLAYERS

- 1.) FOLLOW ALL TEAM, FHS, AND FISD RULES AND GUIDELINES
- 2.) BULLYING/HAZING WILL NOT BE ALLOWED
- 3.) ALL FACIAL HAIR KEPT WILL BE KEPT"NEAT AND CLEAN"
- 4.) ALL JEWELRY IS PROHIBITED WHEN REPRESENTING FHS ATHLETICS.
- 5.) PLAYER WILL LET COACH KNOW IF HE MUST MISS A PRACTICE OR ATHLETIC PERIOD

PLAYER EXPECTATIONS CONT'D

II. PRACTICE/WORK OUT POLICIES FOR PLAYERS

- 1.) ATTENDANCE AT PRACTICE IS EXPECTED EVERY DAY
- 2.) IF PRACTICE MUST BE MISSED. MAKE POSITION COACH AWARE BEFORE PRACTICE
- 3.) MUST BE PROPERLY DRESSED ACCORDING TO THE RULES
- 4.) WORK HARD, BE COACHABLE, AND HAVE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AT ALL TIMES
- 5.) INJURED PLAYERS WILL DRESS OUT AND ATTEND ALL PRACTICES UNLESS APPROVED BY TRAINER AND COACH

PLAYER EXPECTATIONS CONT'D

III. LOCKER ROOM POLICIES FOR PLAYERS

- 1.) LOCKER ROOM WILL BE KEPT NEAT AND ORDERLY
- 2.) KEEP LOCKER LOCKED AT ALL TIMES
- 3.) NO HORSEPLAY OR WRESTLING IN LOCKER ROOM
- 4.) STAY IN ASSIGNED LOCKER ROOMS
- 5.) PLAYERS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FHS ISSUED EQUIPMENT THAT IS NOT RETURNED

TEAM RULES

Please remember that athletics is a privilege, **not a right**. We expect our athletes to show team before self attitude, adhere to the program's guidelines and expectations, be in attendance everyday, work hard and have the desire to improve every day. Coaches have the right to suspend or dismiss an athlete from the UIL period and team.

- **1.) FHS Rules and Policies.** Athletes are expected to follow all rules and guidelines of FHS. Failure to do so may result in disciplinary actions. (ex. dress code and behavior)
- **2.) Social media.** All social media sites operated by athletes will be under scrutiny of athletic coaches. Any unethical, immoral, illegal or conduct unbecoming of a FHS athlete could result in suspension or dismissal from the program.
- **3.)** No Stealing. Thieves will not be tolerated. If caught, you will be subjected to suspension or dismissal.
- **4.) No Surprises!** Immediately communicate ALL actions in which you are involved that may be detrimental to our school or athletic department.

TEAM RULES

- **5.) Gifts.** Student athletes are prohibited from accepting valuable consideration for participation in school athletics anything that is not given or offered to the entire student body on the same basis that it is given or offered to an athlete.
- **6.) Alcohol and Illicit drug use.** The use of alcohol or drugs will not be tolerated. Violators will be subject to suspension or dismissal. (FISD Athlete Handbook).
- **7.) Hazing/Bullying.** Hazing and bullying, initiation or any harassment will not be tolerated in any way, shape or form. Any athlete involved in such actions may be removed from the program.
- **8.) Travel.** All athletes will ride to and from competition on the bus to aid in team building, a team concept and to provide maximum safety while on a school trip. **Parents** desiring their children to ride home must provide written notification 24 hours prior to competition. Emergency situations may develop which require some flexibility
- **9.) Lettering.** Varsity players who finish the season in good standing may earn a letterman's jacket according to FISD Lettering Requirements.
- **10.) Injuries/sickness.** Please report all injuries or sickness to the coach and trainer ASAP. Once the trainer is notified, we will follow our training policies.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

An OPPORTUNITY FOR IMPROVEMENT (OFI) will consist of 25 yards of the following:

Up/Down every 5 steps

Bear Crawl

Crab Crawl

Rollover and back

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EXCUSED ABSENCE = 1 OFI & MAKE UP CONDITIONING

EXECUSED ABSENCE = Required Doctor, Illness, Family Emergency, Coach's Discretion

UNEXCUSED ABSENCE = 2 OFI & MAKE UP CONDITIONING

1 UNEXCUSED = Warning

2 UNEXCUSED = ½ GAME BENCH, POSITION COACH VISIT, PARENT CONTACT

3 UNEXCUSED = 1 GAME BENCH & HC VISIT W/ PARENT

4 UNEXCUSED = SUSPENSION AND/OR DISMISSAL

FORCED ABSENCE = CONDITIONING

MEDICAL (NO PARENT NOTES), FUNERAL/DEATH, OR COACH'S DISCRETION

IMPORTANT PARENT INFO

1.) Holiday Practices. We will practice on certain holidays that may fall during the season. The athlete's attendance is mandatory. Failure to do so will result in an unexcused absence. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Labor Day Monday September 6TH (Morning practice)
Student Holiday Monday October 11th (Times TBD)
We may be still playing during during Thanksgiving (Times TBD)

- **2.) Parent/Coach Communication.** We welcome communication between parents and coaches. If a problem does arise, we ask that the following chain of command be followed.
 - 1.) Student/Position coach
 - 2.) Student/Parent/Position coach
 - 3.) Student/Parent Head Coach.
- 3.) Fundraisers. Parent involvement in all fundraisers will be greatly appreciated.
- 4.) Booster Club. We ask all parents to join and get involved in our FABC.
- **5.)** Individual Program Ad/Business Ad- Information will be available on the Athletic website (also copies in the back)

PARENT/COACH COMMUNICATION PLAN

Both parenting and coaching are extremely difficult jobs. By establishing an understanding of each position, we are better able to accept the actions of the other and provide greater benefits to children. As parents of children that have become involved in our programs, you have a right to understand what expectations are placed on your child. This begins with clear communication from the coach of your child's program.

I. Communication that you should expect from your child's coach:

- 1.) Expectations the coach has for your child as well as all the players on the squad
- 2.) Locations and times of all practices and contests.
- 3.) Team Requirements- i.e., practices, special equipment, out-of-season conditioning, etc.
- 4.) Discipline that may result in the denial of your child's participation.

II. Communication coaches expect from parents:

- 1.) Concerns expressed directly to the coach.
- 2.) Notification of any schedule conflicts well in advance.
- 3.) As your child becomes involved in the program at Floresville, they will experience some of the most rewarding moments of their lives. It is important to understand that there also may be times when things do not go the way your child wishes. At these times, discussion with the coach is encouraged.

III. Appropriate concerns to discuss with coaches:

- 1.) The treatment of your child
- 2.) Ways to help your child improve
- 3.) Concerns about your child's behavior
- 4.) It is very difficult to accept your child not playing as much as you may hope. Coaches are professionals. They make judgment decisions based on what they believe to be the best for all students involved. As you have seen from the list above, certain things can and should be discussed with your child's coach. Other things, such as the following, must be left to the discretion of the coach.

PARENT/COACH COMMUNICATION PLAN

IV. Issues not appropriate to discuss with coaches:

- 1.) Playing time
- 2.) Team Strategy
- 3.) Other student-athletes
- 4.) There are situations that may require a conference between the coach and the parent. Conferences in these situations are to be encouraged. It is important that both parties involved have a clear understanding of the other's position. When these conferences are necessary, the following procedures should be followed to help promote a resolution to the issue or concern.

V. If there is a concern to discuss with a coach, the following procedure should be followed:

- 1.) Please encourage your child to speak directly with coach. Many times this can take care of the problem.
- 2.) Call to set up an appointment
- 3.) Please do not attempt to confront a coach before or after a contest or practice. These can be emotional times for both parent and coach. Meetings of this nature do not promote resolution. In addition, coaches have other responsibilities at these times.
- 4.) If the meeting with the coach did not provide a satisfactory resolution, call and set up an appointment with the Athletic Director to discuss the situation.

Behavior Expectations of Spectators

- Remember that you are at the contest to support and yell for your team, and to enjoy the skill and competition not to intimidate or ridicule the other team or its fans.
- Remember that school athletics are a learning experience for students and that mistakes are sometimes made.
 Praise student-athletes in their attempt to improve themselves as students, as athletes, and as people, just as you would praise a student working in the classroom.
- A ticket is a privilege to observe the contest, not a license to verbally assault others or be generally obnoxious. Learn the rules of the game, so that you may understand and appreciate why certain situations take place.
- Show respect for the opposing players, coaches, spectators and support groups.
- Respect the integrity and judgement of game officials. Understand that they are doing their best to help promote the student-athlete, and admire their willingness to participate in full view of the public.
- Recognize and show appreciation for an outstanding play by either team.
- Refrain from the use of any controlled substances (alcohol, drugs, etc.) before, during, and after the game on or near the site of the event (i.e. tailgating). Use only cheers that support and uplift the teams involved.

Behavior Expectations of Spectators

- Be a positive role model at events through your own actions and by censuring those around you whose behavior is unbecoming.
- Parents and spectators should be aware that the school can (and should) remove them from the premises and can prohibit them from attending future contests due to undesirable behaviors.
- Game officials can ask that school administrators have unruly fans removed from a contest facility.
- There is no such thing as a "right" to attend interscholastic athletics. Interscholastic athletics are considered a "privilege" and the spectator who avails themselves of it is expected to conduct himself or herself accordingly.
- Keep in mind that you are a guest of the school, and that while winning is certainly an admirable goal, it is hollow if it comes at the expense of morals, ethics, and just plain common sense.
- The school is responsible for the behavior of their spectators. The school district can be and will be punished for actions of patrons in violation of UIL standards and rules.

*The above expectations and additional information can be found in the <u>UIL Parent Information Handbook</u>

We are excited to kick off the 2021 season!

We hope to see everyone at the Ice Cream Social

Thank You and Have a great night!